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ELECTRIC ROAD TROUBLES.

The situation on the D. Y. & A. A., between the managers and their employes, appears in a fair way to be settled at no very distant date.

The men have made demands upon the company for a working agreement under which their union shall be recognized, and also for an increase of pay to 25 cents an hour. The officials are now engaged in formulating their final answer to these requests, and it will be submitted to the international union at Detroit within a few days. The local men have appointed a committee with full power to act, which will consider the company's ultimatum, whatever it may, in a joint session with the international union officers. The result of the deliberation will be accepted by the local branch, whether it is to ratify the company's terms or to walk out in full force.

About 45 of the conductors and motormen held a meeting from 12 p. m. Friday night to 3:30 a. m. Saturday, and every phase of the trouble was thoroughly discussed. The tone of the gathering was all against striking, but it was also a unanimous sentiment in favor of "standing up" for what the men consider their rights.

The treasurer of the International Street Railway union was present, and on his report that President Hawks of the D. Y. & A. A. had promised to answer the men's requests in a few days the meeting deferred and definite action.

The men are all hopeful that further trouble will be averted, and profess to be doing all in their power to bring about a speedy, amicable agreement.

A side grievance was aired at Thursday night's meeting, as the men claim that the recent laying off of the president of the local union for 30 days and the indefinite suspension of the secretary was done without sufficient cause. A committee was therefore appointed to confer with Manager Merrill in regard to a more careful investigation of the two cases.

President J. D. Hawks has requested the employes of the line, who are asking for a yearly agreement with the company and an increase in wages from 20 25 cents an hour, to formulate their requests in writing. He says that he cannot treat with them until this is done, so that there may be no misunderstanding. He will make his reply for the company in kind.—Times.

NORMAL COLLEGE COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES.

The program for commencement week at the Normal is as follows:

Sunday, June 17, meeting of the Students' Christian association, 2:30 p. m; baccalaureate address in Normal hall 7:30 p. m.

Monday, junior class day exercises, 9:30 a. m.; senior class day exercises, 2:30 p. m.; Normal choir concert, in Normal hall, 7:30 p. m.

Tuesday, conservatory commencement 9:30 a. m.; reunion of former classes, 2:30 p. m.; alumni meeting, 7:30 p. m.

Wednesday, commencement exercises, with address by President Charles F. Thwing, 9:30 a. m.; alumni banquet at the gymnasium at the close of the commencement exercises.

The grades of the training school will observe "Public Day" on Thursday, June 14, and will hold special closing exercises on Friday from 10 to 11 a. m.

The physical training department will hold public exercises at the gymnasium Friday evening, June 15.

The conservatory alumni will hold their annual reception at the conservatory, Monday evening, at the conclusion of the Normal choir concert.

A NEW CANDIDATE FOR GOV.

"In their search for a democratic candidate for governor," remarked a well-known up-county man at the Wayne yesterday, "I would like to suggest to them a distinguished member of the legislature of 1891. He is a practical farmer, with a knowledge of affairs, or as some express it, a second Winans. I refer to James L. Lowden of Washtenaw county, who was chairman of the house committee on ways and means in 1891.

"Mr. Lowden has probably never has a thought that he might be proposed for governor. He has never sought office. He could not contribute a large amount to a campaign fund, but I believe the democrats can win with him on state issues. He is sound upon every principle the democratic party is pledged to, and still he is not a bitter partisan. Living on a pleasant farm near the south line of Ypsilanti township he is known and respected throughout that section.

"He could not be used by the machine politicians of the party. His experience at Lansing would save him from some of the errors that were charged to Gov. Winans, and he would make a record as an executive that would equal that of the latter.

"I am not a politician—couldn't be if I wanted to, and wouldn't if I could—but I know the democrats could not do better than to nominate Jim Lowden of Washtenaw for a governor.—Detroit News.

HIGH SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT

The closing exercises of the High School are as follows:

Baccalaureate sermon by Rev. Wm. Gardam, Sunday evening, June 10, at Episcopal church, at 7:30.

Class day exercises in High School hall, Thursday evening, June 14, at 8 o'clock.

Graduating exercises at M. E. church Friday evening at 7:30.

High School alumni banquet, Friday evening, June 15, Presbyterian church. Invitation—All graduates of the Ypsilanti High School are cordially invited to attend the annual banquet to be held immediately after the commencement exercises Friday evening, June 15. The following is the program of speakers and toasts:

Toastmaster Hon. Jno P. Kirk.

Mrs. Mary Spencer, '60, Lansing, "A Penny for Your Thoughts."

Rev. Jos. H. Crooker, '70, Ann Arbor, "The March of Truth."

Judge E. O. Durfee, '67, Detroit, subject selected.

Miss Lutie Densmore, '83, "First Lessons."

John McCann, '96, "High School Societies."

Carl Young, '97, "From High School to College."

Miss Ada Pavne, '98, "My Sisters."

Atwood R. McAndrew, '99, "Furniture Polish."

Harold Spencer, '01, "Toys."

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A SUCCESSFUL MEETING.

The opera house was well filled Tuesday evening, on the occasion of a mass meeting called to consider the proposed establishment of a Starkweather memorial fund in connection with the Detroit bi-centennial memorial fund. The speakers were gracefully introduced by our popular young inspector-general, Fred W. Green.

Mayor Maybury of Detroit, the first speaker, briefly outlined what was proposed to be done to commemorate the founding of the city of Detroit two hundred years ago, illustrating his remarks by reference to a cartoon of the proposed monument which it is purposed to erect on the westerly end of beautiful Belle Isle park in Detroit river.

Professor Laird next forcibly presented the great benefits accruing to the Normal College, the city and the state at large through the erection of the Y. W. C. A. building by the liberality of Mrs. Starkweather, dilating upon the beneficent influences emanating therefrom, whose extent and power are well nigh incalculable.

Percy Ives of Detroit then briefly addressed the meeting, expressing his views from the standpoint of the artist.

Ex-Mayor Allen made the closing speech, presenting in his usual cogent manner, a detailed account of the various benefits received by this city by the generous and timely gifts of Mrs. Starkweather. The time is opportune to recall what this noble woman has done for us: The fountain on Huron street, the Y. M. C. A. building on the college grounds, the chapel at Highland cemetery, the Library Association building and minor gifts.

The meeting was enlivened by two vocal selections, a quartet by Messrs. Spencer Ellis, Ellsworth and Bostwick, and a solo by Miss Blanche Baxter, both finely rendered.

AN INVESTIGATION MADE.

President Sperry of Olivet college, and Prof. Lyman of the State Normal college, have investigated the reports circulated to the effect that the members of the Ypsilanti normal ball team were drugged during the game played in Olivet Monday afternoon.

Prof. Lyman absolutely denies the newspaper articles, in which he is quoted. He announced today that he had not been approached on the subject by any newspaper representative.

The normal team arrived in this city Monday noon and registered at the Hotel Williams for dinner, after which they drove to Olivet, returning in the evening too late to catch the 7:20 train east on the Michigan Central. The team registered ot the Hotel Williams, returning to Ypsilanti the next morning. The sickness, according to the statement of the night clerk at the hotel, where the team was quartered, was general among the players. Before returning to their homes tonight, Mr. Sperry and Mr. Lyman gave out the following statement over their own signatures:

"Recent reports in regard to the sickness of the Ypsilanti Normal ball team after their visit to Olivet college last Monday have led to a careful investigation of the facts of the case. There can be no reasonable doubt that Olivet college or Olivet village were not directly or indirectly responsible for the illness of the Ypsilanti students.

"We very greatly regret the unauthorized newspaper reports which have given to Olivet an altogether undeserved notoriety in this matter. The difficulty was, from all indications, purely accidental, as four other cases have been traced to the table where the young men dined before they reached Olivet.—Detroit Tribune.

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When you say your blood is impure and appetite poor you are admitting your need of Hood's Sarsaparilla. Begin taking it at once.

A FINE GAME.

A seven inning game of ball on the Normal grounds Tuesday afternoon, dissipated any doubt heretofore existing as to whether the fats or the leans had the preponderance in point of endurance and skill. When all did so creditably, or otherwise, it were invidious to institute comparisons or designate special good or bad plays. Let it suffice to chronicle the result of the encounter by naming the score of 22 to 19 in favor of the side represented by members most attenuated. The teams were as follows:

Fats.		Leans.
Kennedy	c	Hewitt
Graves	p	Horner
Gaudy	1b	Van Fossen
Bull	2b	Munro
O'Connor	3b	Ostrander
D. P. Sullivan	ss	Hodgkinson
Art. Sullivan	lf	Ryan
Hammerschmid	cf	Gilmore
Harding	rf	Kief

Umpire, Kirk. Attending physician, Owen.

The senate has passed the bill to pension Mrs. Frances E. Childs, of Ypsilanti, widow of the late Jonathan W, Childs, colonel of the Fourth regiment, Michigan volunteer troops. The case of Mrs. Childs commended itself to Chairman Gallinger of the senate pension committee for special reasons. Mrs. Childs is teaching English in Porto Rico to maintain herself, and being an old lady, is rapidly impairing her eyesight. Congresssman H. C. Smith s attention was called to her case and he has pushed the bill. with the aid of Senators Burrows and McMillan, until it stands an excellent chance of being put through the house at this session, notwithstanding the pressure of business. The bill carries a pension of $30 a month.

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Comes from Dr. D. B. Cargile, of Washita, I. T. He writes: "Four bottles of Electric Bitters has cured Mrs. Brewer of scrofula, which had caused her great suffering for years. Terrible sores would break out on her head and face, and the best doctors could not give her help; but her cure is completed and her health is excellent." This shows what thousands have proved—that Electric Bitters is the best blood purifier known. It's the supreme remedy for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, ulcers, boils and running sores. It stimulates liver, kidneys and bowels, expels poisons, helps digestion builds up the strength. Only 50 cents. Sold by Morford & Hyzer Druggists. Guaranteed.

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Local News.

Jay Moore was in Detroit yesterday on business.

W. A. Cates succeeds Mr. Hewett as clerk at the Hawkins House.

Mrs. Edith Bowen of Detroit is visiting Miss Caroline Towner of Huron street.

Mrs. Caroline Phillips, a delegate, has gone to the W. R. C. convention at Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wallace and Mr. and Mrs. Will Kishlar are spending a few days at Portage Lake.

Supper will be served by Queen City Hive L. O. T. M. at their hall on East Cross street, Friday evening.

The Normal Conservatory male quartet furnish the music at the commencement exercises at Milan, Thursday evening.

Mrs. Mary Leut, wife of Jasper Leut of Ypsilanti town, has been taken to the Wayne county asylum for the insane.

The Honor Bright Club met with Miss Lydia Spencer Monday evening. An outing was the principal topic of discussion.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Fisk and Mrs. Smith and daughter, Miss Bertha, are spending a few days at Portage Lake.

The funeral of Mrs. Gregory, who died at Geddes, Tuesday, will take place from her late home on Friday, June 8, at 10 o'clock.

Miss Lucena McKenzie and Miss Belle Ashley of Detroit are visiting Miss Sadie Surbrook and Miss Cora McGraft of Adams street.

The Senate saloon will be reopened by James Byeraft and Edward Doershaw. Their bonds were offered at the last meeting of the council.

Children's Day will be observed at the Methodist Episcopal church, Sunday morning, at 10:30, the children of the Sunday School having entire charge of the services.

Services at St. Luke's next, Trinity Sunday: Holy communion, 8 a. m.; full morning service, sermon, 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 12 m.; evening prayer, 5; Baccalaureate address, 7:30.

The Rev. Wm. Gardam will deliver the Baccalaureate sermon in connection with the graduating exercises of the high school in St. Luke's church, Sunday evening. His subject will be "Ideals; Climaxes." Services, 7:30 p. m.

The first of the annual receptions of the Pi Kappa Sigma sorority and the Harmonious Mystic sorority of the conservatory, will be held at the gymnasium, the former on Friday evening, June 8, and the latter at the same place, Saturday evening, June 16.

The High School Alumni Association are disappointed that Alex Hardy of Flint, a former Ypsilantian, can not be present to speak at the alumni banquet this year, as was expected. Mr. Hardy has been ordered abroad by his physicians, and will sail in a few days.

The Young Married Peoples' Pedro Club held their last meeting of the season last Tuesday evening, at the residence of Mrs. W. S. Carpenter. Instead of clubbing together and purchasing prizes for the winners, as is customary, each member of the club brought a valuable article so wrapped in a sheet of paper that its nature could not be determined by the size or shape of the package. The selecting and opening of the bundles, which were placed in a heap, the winner of the highest score having the first choice, the winner of the next highest score the second choice, etc., caused much merriment.

T. J. Stewart of Kalamazoo was in the city Tuesday.

Marshall Pease of Detroit was in the city Tuesday.

J. W. Babbitt was in Detroit yesterday on official business.

Mrs. Clinton Elder of New York City is visiting her mother, Mrs. Bogardus.

Miss Nan Babbitt has returned from Kearney, Neb., for the summer vacation.

Gen. Green is home from his trip of inspection of the companies of the National Guard at Grand Rapids, Lansing and Jackson.

Miss Adriance Rice sang a beautiful solo last Sunday at the Presbyterian church.

Mrs. Julia Aldrich, of Wauseon, Ohio, is visiting at the home of her son, the Rev. B. F. Aldrich.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. O. Hasse, of 8 Pearson street, Wednesday morning, a 9 pound boy.

Inspector General Gred W. Green is visiting Flint, Port Huron, and Adrian on official business.

A marriage license has been securee by James Burns of this city and Miss Lizzie Calhoun of York.

The annual faculty reception will be held on Saturday evening, June 9, at the Normal gymnasium.

Mrs. N. J. Wallace and Fred Horner won the highest scores for the season in the Married Peoples' Pedro Club.

The annual reception and dance of the Beta Nu sorority of the high school will be held at the Ladies' Library Friday evening.

The Senior and Junior men's classes of the Normal will contest for the Showerman cup at the gymnasium Saturday morning at nine o'clock.

Miss Grace George has been permanently elected to the chair of modern languaguages at Olivet, a position she has temporarily filled for the past year.

The ladies of the First Baptist church will serve a 10 cent supper in the dining room of the church, Friday, June 8, from 5 to 7, to which all are invited.

The students of the Cleary Business College have been invited to attend the Baptist church next Sunday evening, to hear an address on "Civic Federation and Municipal Government."

The captains of the Fats and Leans announce that two more games of baseball will be played this month, one next week, the other at a date not yet determined.

Behind the gray granite pillars is the auditorium of the First Presbyterian church, where you are cordially invited to worship next Sunday. Morning worship at 10:30 with sermon on "The Redemption of Childhood." Children's Day service at 5 p. m., with program of music, responsive readings, class recitations, etc. The church will be beautifully decorated. Parents and friends are urged to attend. Sunday School, 12 m.; Y. P. S. C. E., 6:30 in the evening; the peoples' service, 7:30 Wednesday evening.

During the two weeks remaining between now and commencement 41 candidates will be examined in the department of literature, science and arts for the higher degrees and for the bachelor's degree on what is known as the university system. The names of these candidates including the three who have been examined have been arranged by the appropriate committees. Among them is Florence Bingham Kinne, A. B., 1887, candidate for A. M.

Michigan has 1,799 enumerators.

A. R. Ball, of Detroit, was an Ypsilanti visitor Saturday.

Capt. E. P. Allen gave the oration at Dundee, May 30.

A. Byers, of New Philadelphia, Ohio, is at the sanitarium.

Mrs. J. D. Vivian, of Minneapolis, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Case.

Mrs. G. A. Howard, of Alpena, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. E. McGregor, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hutchinson, of Washington St., have just returned from a visit to friends in Detroit.

Frank Daley, who was so seriously burned by a gasoline explosion in Dolson's bicycle repair shop is able to be about.

A special meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Episcopal church will be held at the Paris House this afternoon.

Buffalo Bill's advance agnets are posting the city, announcing the great showman's appearance in Ypsilanti on Saturday July 28.

An eclipse of the moon occurs next Tuesday, June 12, when the earth is between sun and moon. June will be a rich month for star gazers.

Methodism has shown a new vitality by laying aside one of the famous methods, compulsory itineracy, by which she obtained her name.

The high school authorities announce a departure this year—a baccalaureate address—which will be given in high school hall Sunday, June 10, by Rev. Wm. Gardam.

Observations of the sun's eclipse, taken after elaborate preparation by the leading scientists of the world, proved to be failures because the instruments were too powerful.

The Study Club will hold its last meeting with Mrs. John Van Fossen, Normal street. Members are requested to come prepared to buy the programs for the ensuing year.

Miss Chloe McCartney, of Benton Harbor, a graduate of the Normal College has been engaged as critic teacher in the seventh grade of the Normal training school for next year.

Suit by injunction has been instituted by Mary E. Scott against D. P. McLachlan. The doctor held a note against her and made a levy on her land which she claims as a homestead right.

The Normal News will be a monthly instead of a semi-monthly publication next year. Edwin Murray has been reappointed editor and George Gannon has been named for business manager.

The remains of the late Mrs. Lyman Lake, who died at the home of her son in Detroit, were brought here Monday and interred in Highland Cemetery. She was a former resident of Ypsilanti.

Through pension agent Haynes, back pension of $6 per month, since April 26, 1892 has been secured in the name of John G. Dell, of Saline, and a pension of $8 per month, with back pension since Dec. 18, for the widow.

The city printing for the coming year is divided between the Commercial and the Scharf Tag. Label & Box Co. The Council proceedings, check books, etc., are given to the former, and the bill heads, letter heads, etc., to the latter.

The late rains did some damage in the city and vicinity. There were several washouts on the electric road and the Michigan Central. The amount and force of the water running down Congress street broke the five-foot stone abutment at the west end of the Congress St. bridge. Some damage was done to the east side also. Cellars were filled with water in different parts of the city. An unprecedented volume of water fell as was indicated by the registry at the Normal, reported to be 2⅝ inches.

The East Side Park is one of the attractions of the city, and is well worth a visit While it is yet unpreteutious, it has great capabilities in the way of further beautiification. The forest trees recently transplanted have lived, the sward is even, firm and well cared for, comfortable seats are scattered about the ground, and the fountain and miniature lake promise coolness in the heat of summer, and take it all in all the East Park is destined to became a much frequented place and the pride of the city.

Saturday night a girl who had resigned her position in a Maison de joie of this city, went to Ann Arbor and became grossly intoxicated. Yesterday morning she paid a visit to the "blue front" near the post office and tried to get an inmate to leave with her. A young man who was paying his attentions to one of the girls, the landlady, the visitor from Ypsi and another girl got into a mixup over the matter and the police locked them all up in jail. This morning they all pleaded guilty and were fined.

President J. D. Hawkes of the Detroit, Ypsilanti and Ann Arbor road, has requested the employes of the line, who are asking for a yearly agreement with the company and an increase in wages from 20 to 25 cents an hour, to formulate their requests in writing. He says that he cannot treat with them until this is done. so that there may be no misunderstanding. He will make his reply for the company in kind. At a meeting of the employees, held in Ypsilanti last week, the men appointed a committee to meet in joint session with the international officials and take final action on the company's proposition. The local men are a unit in their action.

Prof. Sherzer of the department of biology at the Normal college has been granted a year's leave of absence and he, Mrs. Sherzer and their oldest and youngest child will leave for Europe on June 30. About June 21 they will leave Ypsilanti for southern Ohio, where they will spend some days visiting among Prof. Sherzer's people. They will leave there for New York from which point they will sail on June 30 for London by the Atlantic Transport Co.'s steamer Minneapolis. Their plans give them two weeks in London from whence they will go to Berlin, where Prof. Sherzer has a sister in the university. They expect to remain there during the summer except for the time occupied in visiting the exposition at Paris. Prof. Sherzer will spend the first semester in the university at Berlin. He has planned three things to be accomplished while there. He will do some special work in geology and biology, study the Normal schools of Germany and inspect the work in nature study or elementary science that is being done in the public schools of the country. This is as far as he has planned his work at present. He will be abroad a year and expects to return in time to resume his duties at the Normal the summer quarter of next year.—Argus.

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DEMOCRATIC DECLARATION ON SILVER.

In an interview granted to James Creelman, for the New York Journal, William J. Bryan, uttered his opinion regarding the money plank in the platform to be adopted at Kansas City, which puts an end to the differences in the party on the coinage question. Says Mr. Creelman in the Journal referring to the enunciation by Mr. Bryan of his opinion:

"What he said, he said deliberately, thoughtfully, slowly, with a full realization of the political effect his words would have.

I asked him to make a definite statement on the money plank of the platform that would clear the atmosphere. I have never seen him more earnest, more full of a profound realization of the political condition confronting him, and I lay stress on this point in order to convey clearly the fact that what Mr. Bryan said to me represents his unchangeable purpose.

NO CHANGE IN CHICAGO PLATFORM.

"Will the Chicago platform be reaffirmed at Kansas City?" I asked.

"It certainly will be reaffirmed."

"Will any change be made in the Chicago platform to conciliate the Democrats who are coming back to the party?"

"No. The Democrats who are coming back must not expect a single departure to be made from the position taken by the party in 1896. First, because the position taken then was right; second, it would not be wise to alienate those who were with us in 1896 in order to please those who were then against us."

Mr. Bryan stopped for a moment; he seemed to feel that he was making a statement that would have a serious effect. The old lion look came into his face, the look he used to have when he led the disorganized Democracy against the disciplined army of Mark Hanna in 1896.

"The gold Democrats who come back," he said, "can defend their coming on one of two grounds. They can say that they are convinced that the position taken by the party in 1896 was right and that they were wrong, or they can say that because of the new questions which have arisen, and which will be included in the new platform, they are now willing to accept the platform as a whole."

A CHANGE FOR SILVER LEGISLATION.

And now came a question which several of the strongest gold Democrats in New York have asked me to present to Mr. Bryan.

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"Mr. Bryan," I said, "the passage of the currency bill and its signature by Mr. McKinley take it out of the power of the next president to change the status of gold or silver. As the senate will have a gold standard majority for five years to come, it is impossible for any president or any party to establish the free coinage of silver during the next four years. The currency question is, therefore, out of the realm of practical politics for the present, or, at least, out of the sphere of either legislative or executive action. Why should a dead issue be reincorporated into the Democratic platform?"

"In the first place," said Mr. Bryan, I do not admit that the senate is Republican beyond all hope of change. We are certain to make large gains in the east if we carry the country, whether we shall secure enough to give us a majority in the senate depends on the size of the victory.

"If the gold Democrats really believe that it is impossible to gain the senate, then they need not worry about the silver plank. They ought not to ask the party to abandon the silver plank on the ground that it cannot be carried out. In other words, they should not ask us to give up all hope of free silver so long as they are afraid of it."

SPECIAL DECLARATION FOR SILVER CERTAIN.

"Will a specific declaration for the free coinage of silver and gold at a ratio of sixteen to one be put in the platform?"

"Certainly. To drop the ratio would be equal to dropping the question because no one would believe that the party was very sincere in its advocacy of bimetalism if we abandon the only ratio advocated by any considerable number of people."

Mr. Bryan refused to discuss the relative importance of the three main issues—money, imperialism and trusts—saying that men differ as to their relative importance, that he thinks them all important, and he expects to make the fight all along the line.

This statement of Mr. Bryan is a political event of the first magnitude. It will bring to a sudden end all negotiations for an evasion of the money question. Mr. Bryan is in a better position than any other man to know what the position of the majority in the Kansas City convention will be, and he would not have spoken to-day as he did without full knowledge. The man who calls himself a Democrat this year will do it either because of free silver or in spite of it.

TRUSTS ONE OF THE GREATEST ISSUES.

Mr. Bryan's speech to-night was notable beeause of the presence of so many Michigan Republicans, to whom he appealed to abandon a party owned and controlled by trusts.

He gave a long list of public questions on which the Republican party had suddenly abandoned its convictions at the dictation of organized and rapacious wealth, and denounced the plundering operations of the Wire and Steel Trust as an example of the scope of the trust system.

"The Republican party has made ambitious references to trusts in their platform this year," he said, "but the Republicans have the president, the senate and the house of representatives. If ever they do not act against the trusts now, at the beginning of a presidential campaign, how can we expect them to act after the campaign is over?"

CURRENCY QUESTION.

The enactment of the gold standard law effectually eliminates the free coinage of silver question which latter in the last campaign was instrumental in alienating many voters usually found in the Democrats ranks. The Germans especially were demoralized by an overdrawn picture of national distress, as a result of what was termed "dishonest money," "degradation of the dollar." It cannot for a moment be considered, that they will as four years ago unaminously support the Republican party.

The enactment of the gold standard law will also release the gold D. from the necessity of supporting President McKinley—at the same time assures to the Democratic party the support of the Germans through the stability of our financial system.

There can be no question as to the attitude of the people on the question of imperialism. The Germans of the United States are vitally interested in this question, knowing full well the evils of a large standing army from which there is no escape if expansion becomes the settled policy of the government.

Exceedingly vulnerable is the present Republican administration from the fact that enormous combinations of capital or trusts have been formed which are now a political issue.

The people cast the votes—and they will remember next November that they have been compelled to pay higher prices in consequence of these combinations. Take it all in all there is a promise of a glorious success for the Democrat party in the approaching struggle, since this party alone stands for true republicaism.

The success of the Democratic party in the approching campaign is predicable upon an impartial review of the situation of the country, and a careful consideration of certain factors hereafter mentioned. It will be conceded at the out set that if the same conditions existed today that prevailed at the last presidential election, there would be slight hope for the success of the Democratic party. But conditions are far from being the same. It is interesting however, to note in this connection the fact that since the days of Grant, no president has successfully sought re-election.

In common with all administrations, the Republican party is loaded down with unusual disappointments and antagonisms. But these are minor considerations and while they have a certain determining weight, we will proceed to more important factors which militate against the triumph of President McKinley in the approaching struggle. Notwithstanding the supposed friendly services of Great Britain during the late war with Spain; notwithstanding such friendly attitude might reasonably demand or at least polliate a reciprocal feeling—the fact remains and stands out in bold outline that the prevailing sentiment of the American people is decidedly and unmistakably opposed to any obsequiousness on the part of this government towards England. Our people have not yet, nor will they ever forget the attitude of Great Britian during the Civil war. The people of this country will not forget, as the signs pertend will be the case, that two republics will have been swept off the earth by that unscrupulous power without even an expression of pathy for their oppressed peoples on the part of the present administration.

On June 1, the house of representatives, after a debate lasting two days defeated the joint resolution proposing a constitutional amendment empowering congress to regulate trusts.

The presentation of a petition asking congress to make an appropration for the relief of the famishing people of India was the occasion for Mr. Hale, (Maine) to administer a withering rebuke to England for spending hundreds of millions of dollars in striking down and crushing republics, characterizing it as the most brutal manifestation of power against liberty and weakness that the world has ever seen.

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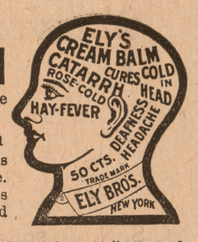

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The Largest Band in the World.

The largest band in the world is that of the Catholic Protectory of New York. It is made up of boys belonging in that institution, and has 200 members. They were in line St. Patrick's day in New York and from the start to the finish filled the air with melody. One hundred boys are in the brass and reed section, and another hundred make up the martial section composed of fifers and drummers. The boys play remarkably well and render the popular airs of the day with a spirit and harmony that evokes the applause of the spectators.

Veteran's Devotion to a Dog.

Leslie Livermore, the survivor of the civil war, whose devotion to his dog Kaiser has earned for him much celebrity, has decided that he will live and die a tramp and beggar, with his faithful dog as a companion, rather than pass the rest of his days in comfort without him. Postmaster Barck of Hoboken, who has been caring for the pair, secured admission to the Soldiers' home in Washington for Livermore. Recently he had the papers ready in his desk, and he informed Livermore, who was highly pleased until he learned that in entering the home he would have to part with the dog. "No," he said, "I don't want your papers. I will go to work on a farm. I will go out in the woods and stir up leaves to secure something to eat rather than part with Kaiser. No, Kaiser," he said, turning to the dog, "I am sorry you saved my life, but you did it, and I'll spend it with you." Livermore was once a canal boat captain. The cabin caught fire, and he would probably have been burned to death but for Kaiser, who awakened him.—New York Times.

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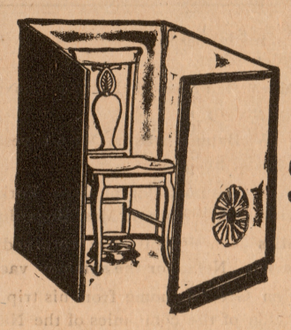

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TIME TABLE—APRIL 1, 1900.

GOING EAST.	
Night Express	*6:15 A. M.
Atlantic Express	*8:00
Grand Rapids Ex	11:25
Mail	4:05 P. M.
N. Y. and Boston Special	*5:13
N. Y. and East'n Ex.	* 9:58
GOING WEST.	
Chicago Special	*9:10 A. M
Day Express	8:20
Chicago Express	*1:25 P. M
Grand Rapids Express	5:30
Chicago Night Express	*9:20
Pacific Express	*12:15

* Daily. Balance except Sunday.

Trains leave Jackson on the Saginaw Division going North at 7:00 a. m., 7:20 a. m., 11:15 a. m 4:40 p. m.

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YPSILANTI BRANCH.

(April 1900.)

Freight.	Exp.	STATIONS.	Exp.	Freight
p.m.	a.m.		p.m.	p.m.
1 40	9 05	Ypsilanti.	4 55	12 05
2 03	9 19	Pittsfield Junctn.	4 36	11 40
2 25	9 27	Saline.	4 28	11 25
2 45	9 39	Bridgewater.	4 14	10 50
3 53	10 00	Manchester.	3 53	10 17
4 34	10 38	Brooklyn.	3 23	9 00
4 50	10 49	Woodstock.	3 11	8 43
5 00	10 55	Somerset.	3 05	8 33
5 20	11 07	Jerome.	2 53	8 15
5 39	11 18	North Adams.	2 43	8 02
6 00	11 35	Hillsdale.	2 25	7 40
a.m.	p.m.		a.m.	a. m.
7 10	7 15	Chicago.	8 30	3 00
p.m.				p. m.
9 50	2 35	Toledo.	10 35	6 55
a.m.			a. m.	p. m
7 40	5 40	Cleveland.	6 30	3 00
			p. m.	a. m.
2 00	10 10	Buffalo.	12 40	7 55

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TOLEDO ANN ARBOR AND NORTH MICHIGAN RAILWAY.

TIME TABLE.

In effect MARCH 23, 1897.

TRAINS LEAVE ANN ARBOR

NORTH	SOUTH
No. 1..... 8 56 a.m.	*No. 6..... 7 25 a.m.
*No. 5.....12 30 p.m.	No. 2.....11 30 a.m.
No. 3..... 4 56 p.m.	No. 4..... 8 30 p.m.

*Run between Ann Arbor and Toledo only. All other trains daily except Sunday.

E. S. GILMORE, Agent, Ann Arbo
W. H. BENNETT, G. P. A., Toledo.

TIME TABLE.

DETROIT, YPSILANTI & ANN ARBOR RAILWAY.

Cars leave for Detroit and Ypsilanti every half hour, beginning at 7:15 a. m. until 7:45 p. m.; last car for Detroit, 11:10 p. m. Waiting room, Washington St.; Detroit. 111 Griswold Street.

In effect November 28, 1899.

Leave Ypsilanti	Leave Ypsi. Jnct.	Leave Saline
A. M.		A. M.
6:45		7:30
8:15		9:00
9:45		10:30
11:15		12:00
P. M.		P. M.
12:45		1:30
2:15		3:00
3:45		4:45
5:45		6:50
7:45		8:45
9:35		10:30
11:15		11:55

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Saturday, the 12th day of May in the year one thousand nine hundred.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of James B. Vannatta deceased.

Geo. Vannatta executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, comes into court and represent that he is now prepared to render his annual account as such executor.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 11 day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account and that the devisees, legatees and heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why said accout should not be allowed.

And it is further ordered.

That said executor give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said account and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ypsilanti Commercial, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. H. WIRT NEWKIRK

Judge of Probate.

(A true copy.)

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MORTGAGE SALE—Default having been made in the conditions of a mortgage bearing date June 15th, 1894, made and executed by James F. Godfrey and Mary E. Godfrey to Clara N. VanCleve, recorded in the office of the register of deeds for Washtenaw County, State of Michigan, June 26th, 1894 in liber 83 of mortgages on page 534, which mortgage was duly assigned by Clara N. VanCleve to Helen C. Swift and said assignment recorded in said Register's office in liber 13 of assignment of mortgages on page 169 upon which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice for the principal interest and attorneys' fees as provided for in said mortgage the sum of two hundred forty and 30-100 dollars. Notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises at public vendue to the highest bidder, on the 17th day of August next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Southerly front door of the Court House in the City of Ann Arbor, in said county, to satisfy the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage and all legal costs, to-wit, those parcels of land situate in the City of Ypsilanti, county of Washtenaw, state of Michigan, described as lot number seven in Clark's addition to the village (now city) of Ypsilanti, also that parcel of land described as beginning at the northwest corner of said lot No. 7; thence running southwesterly on a line with the north line of said lot seven about 86 feet to an old stump standing on the bluff; thence southerly along said bluff about 64 feet to a point in a line with the south line of said lot seven; thence easterly about fifty-two feet to the southwest corner of said lot seven; thence northwesterly to the place of beginning.

Dated May 5th, 1900.

HELEN C. SWIFT, Assignee of said Mortgage.

D. C. GRIFFIN, Attorney for Assignee, Ypsilanti, Mich. 11

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, on Tuesday, the 5th day of June, in the year one thousand and nine hundred. Present, H. Wirt Newkirk Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Mary A. Thompson deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of John P. Kirk, praying that he may be licensed to sell the Real Estate whereof said deceased died seized.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Friday, the 29th day of June. next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in The Ypsilanti Commercial, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

[A true copy.]

H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate.

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SEWER NOTICES.

Notice is hereby given that the Common Council of the City of Ypsilanti proposes to build a lateral sewer in E. Cross street in the Second Sewer District of said city, beginning at the manhole corner of River st. and running thence east to a point four rods east of the south east corner of Prospect ave. and Miles street and that the plat and diagram of said sewer are now open for examination at the office of the City Clerk, No. 2 Bank Building. Notice is also given that the Common Council of said city will meet in the Council Hall, on Monday, the 18th of June A. D. 1900, at 8 o'clock p. m., to hear any suggestions or objections that may be made concerning said sewer.

By order of the Common Council.

J. E. McGREGOR, City Clerk.

Dated, Ypsilanti. June 4th 1900.

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COMMON COUNCIL.

Ypsilanti, June 4, 1900.

Regular meeting of the Common Council held Monday evening of the above date, Mayor Scovill in the chair.

Roll called.

Present—Ald. Boyce, VanFossen, Gaudy, Yost, Stevens, Worden, Colby, Terns—8.

Absent—Ald. Huston, Moore—2.

Minutes of last regular meeting approved as printed.

Petitions and Communications.

The petition of Edward Thompson for permission to erect a frame dwelling on his River street lot was on motion referred to the committee on fire department with power to act.

Communication signed by chairman of Bicentennial committee for Ypsilanti inviting the honorable mayor and city council to attend a mass meeting at the Ypsilanti opera house, Tuesday evening, June 5th. Mayor Maybury and General Alger of Detroit to address the meeting concerning the Bicentennial memorial in Detroit, Prof. Laird and Capt. E. P. Allen explaining the connection of the proposed "Starkweather fund" in connection therewith.

Motion by Ald. VanFossen that the invitation be accepted and the council attend in a body.

Carried.

Druggist Bond.

Duane Spalsbury, principal, S. H. Dodge, Guy E. Davis sureties in $2000.

Liquor Bond.

Bycraft & Doersam, principals; A. H. Goldsmith and Jacob Grob sureties in $3000.

Officers' Bonds.

HRobert W. Hemphill, city treasurer, principal: $1. P. Glover and Samuel Post sureties in 5000.

James E. McGregor, city clerk, principal; Robert W. Hemphill and Daniel L. Quirk sureties in $1200.

Preston W. Ross, constable, principal, J. Willard Babbitt and Math. Stein as sureties in $300.

On motion the several bonds were accepted and approved.

Petition for a sanitary sewer on Huron street from Cross street, north to the outlet of the Forest avenue sewer, signed by Homer Briggs, E. C. Green, Lucena Green, Walter Hewitt, Martha S. Ross, Henry S. Samson and Eliza B. Dunham, was on motion referred to the commissioners of public works.

Communication from the Commissioners of Public Works recommending the reduction of store water rates to four dollars per year and lawn sprinkling to three dollars for four rods frontage and 4 cents per foot for each additional foot frontage.

Communication received and filed.

Petition from Margaret VanCleve asking the Common Council to open Woodward and Catherine streets and the alleys lying parallel thereto from Adams street, west to Hamilton street in accordance with the original plat of the city, was on motion referred to the committee on streets and walks to report at next meeting.

Ypsilanti, June 4, 1900.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Ypsilanti:

Gentlemen:

I herewith present my official report of all monies collected by me during the month of May last past.

Water Works Fund.

Receipts numbered 17707 to 18359 inc....	$2231 92
Water taps No. 1352 to 1367 inc.....	40 00
May 3—Chas. Samson, labor, etc	9 36
" 5—Park fund, water pipe, etc.....	7 80
" 7—A. S. Turnbull, water pipe, etc	5 84
" 7—D. C. Howe, setting meter.....	1 10
" 17—Ed Rogers, setting meter.....	85
" 22—D. H. Curts, old brick.....	3 00
" 23—B. F. Hodges, coal.....	80
" 31—Ed Thompson, water pipe.....	1 52
N. B. Perkins, old plank.....	2 50
A. S. Turnbull, crude oil.....	20
Total.....	$2304 89

Paving Fund.

May 14—H. M. Curtis, 1st installment..$	12 43
" 25—Miss E. Lambie, balance of assessment.....	124 23
Total..... $	136 66

Contingent Fund

May 9—M. Cremer, license.....$	1 00
Dog licenses No. 1 to 41 inc....	45 00
" 11—Chas. Glover, 6-24 in. tile.....	3 00
" 11—M. Cremer, license.....	1 00
County treasurer, delinquent taxes and interest	411 05
Liquor licenses.....	1427 17
Total.....	$1888 22

Street Light Fund.

May 31—Michigan Telephone Co, 2 poles	4 00

Sewer Connection Fund.

May 17—J. H. Hodgkin, connection...$	11 00
" 17—Gilmore & Norton, connection	14 30
" 18—Ida M. Davis, connection	11 34
" 31—Ed Thompson.....	17 34
Total .....$	53 98

Second District Highway Fund.

May 5—Temporary loan from city treas.	$200 00

Third District Highway Fund.

May 5—Temporary loan from city treas.	200 00

Fourth District Highway Fund.

May 5—Temporary loan from city treas.	100 00

Fifth District Highway Fund.

May 5—Temporary loan from city treas.	150 00

Which amounts are covered by treasurer's receipts and cash on hand, and the several amounts have been credited to their respective funds.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

James E McGregor, City Clerk.

On motion report accepted and filed.

Ypsilanti, June 2, 1900.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report as poor commissioner for the month of May, 1900:

Expended in 1st ward.....$	2 00
Expended in third ward.....	3 00
Expended in fourth ward.....	3 00
Expended in fifth ward.....	1 50
Total for month of May, 1900.....$	12 50

All of which is respectfully submitted.

M. Cremer, Marshal.

On motion report received and filed.

Herbert W. Childs, Justice of the Peace, reported fine money collected during the month of May as follows: May 25th, William Clawson, using indecent language; fined $3.00. May 26th, George B. Paine, assault and battery; fined $10.00. Total $13.00. Paid to the city treasurer.

Report received and filed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Regular meeting of the Commission of Public Works held Friday evening, May 18th, 1900.

Present—Coms. Damon, Wells and Shaefer.

Bills on the various funds audited and approved. It was resolved to recommend to the common council, That the Huron street storm sewer be carried no farther than Ellis street as in the estimation of the city engineer and the Board to carry it farther will be unnecessary in view of the fact a storm sewer is to be built on Cross street. It was resolved to lay in the storm sewer ordered on Cross street 18 inch pipe west to Hamilton and 15 inch pipe from Hamilton street west to Brower street. It was resolved to recommend to the Common Council that ordinance No. 69 be amended so that the rates to be charged should be changed by the Coms. Public Works at will subject to the approval of the Common Council—also to amend the ordinance providing that meters be set only when ordered by the Commissioners of Public Works.

On motion board adjourned.

J. E. McGregor, Ypsilanti, June 1st, 1900.

Regular meeting of the Commissioners of Public Works held Friday evening, June 1st 1900.

Present—Coms. Damon, Schaeffer.

The clerk was instructed to order the necessary pipe and fittings for the extension of the water service on Davis street the estimated expense being about $300, also to obtain quotations on iron electric light poles for Huron street, after auditing and approving bills on the various funds.

Board adjourned.

James E. McGregor, Clerk.

On motion reports of the Commissioner of Public Works received and filed.

Ypsilanti, Mich., May 31, 1900.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Ypsilanti:

Gentlemen:

Your committee on printing to whom was referred the matter of letting the contract for City Printing beg leave to report they received bids from the Scharf Tag Label & Box Co, The Ypsilantian and The Ypsilanti Commercial, and having carefully considered the several bids on the various items on which bids were asked, would respectfully recommend, that the bids of the Scharf Tag Label & Box Co. for the following items, being the lowest, be accepted: Letter heads, envelopes, bill heads, official ballots and annual reports of clerk and treasurer, and we farther recommend that the following items be allowed the Ypsilanti Commercial their bid being the lowest for the same, viz: cheque books registration lists, publication of Council Proceedings in paper and in pamphlet form. Provided howeverit is destinctly understood and agreed, that all the work be done in Ypsilanti by Ypsilanti labor.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

F. P. Worden,
F. A. Boyce,
C. L. Stevens,
Committee on printing.

Report received and filed.

Ypsilanti, Mich., June 4, 1900.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of Ypsilanti:

Gentlemen:

Your committee on Ways and Means to whom was referred the claim of Don A. Freeman for $150 for damage received on Congress street beg leave to report that they have had the matter under consideration and would respectfully ask for farther time to report.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

John Terns,
F. P. Worden,
Geo. M. Gaudy,
Committee on ways and means.

The Commissioners of Public Works to whom was referred the petitions for sewer in E. Cross st. Forest avene and Emmet st. reported to the council recommeding that the petitions be granted.

Claims and Accounts.

First District Sewer Fund.

H E Dickinson.....$	10 20
E B McCullough.....	37 20
Pay Roll.....	364 31

Water Works Fund.

Pay Roll.....	88 60
A Thayer.....	22 50
H T LeFurge.....	15 11
Wm H McDermott.....	3 00
O E Thompson & Son.....	60
A S Turnbull.....	40 00
W F Blanchard.....	25 00
J E McGregor	28 45
Harding & Shaefer.....	35
Morford & Hyzer.....	1 77
James Walker & Son.....	68 43

Street Light Fund.

H T LeFurge.....	2 10
Electric Appliance Co.....	3 40
D H Curts.....	25 00
B F Hodges.....	22 50

Park Fund.

Pay Roll.....	32 50
H T LeFurge.....	17 18
J C Edwards.....	10 00

Sewer Fund.

Pay Roll.....	27 00

Bridge Fund.

Pay Roll.....	10 35

DISTRICT HIGHWAY FUNDS.

First District.

Harding & Shaefer.....	35
Webster Cobb & Co.....	7 04
Pay Roll.....	54 35

Second District.

Pay Roll	24 30
Webster Cobb & Co.....	5 28

Fifth District.

Pay Roll.....	1 70

Fire Department Fund.

George Watson.....	18 66
Clyde Roe.....	20 00
E Ryan.....	25 00
A Herriman.....	1 00
F Babcock.....	20 00
F Reimer.....	20 00
R Suggit.....	20 00
H D Edwards & Co.....	47 58
Geo Kellar.....	13 80

Contingent Fund

Pay Roll.....	120 00
H T LeFurge.....	2 75
Harding & Shaefer.....	1 53
O E Thompson & Sons.....	4 00
Webster Cobb & Co	30 91
Pay Roll.....	25 70
Ladies' Library Assn.....	33 33
John Thum.....	20 00
P W Ross.....	20 00
M Cremer.....	25 00
D Riley.....	16 25
Thos Ryan.....	16 67
A J McCarthy.....	3 45
Scharf Tag Label & Box Co.....	2 25
H E Dickinson.....	1 50
Ypsilanti Commercial.....	9 54
C S Woodard.....	75 00
J E McGregor	2 35

Motion by Ald. Gaudy—That orders be drawn on the various funds to pay the several bills.

Roll called.

Ayes—8.

Nays—0.

Absent—2.

Carried.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Resolution by Committee on Ways and Means—Resolved that the Common Council of the City of Ypsilanti does hereby appropriate out of the several funds as below mentioned and for the purposes therein stated, as provided by the charter of said City, for and during the present fiscal year as follows:

First District Sewer Fund.....$	830 00
Sinking Fund	8852 55
Contingent Fund.....	7000 00
Fire Department Fund.....	4500 00
Street Light Fund.....	4000 00
Park Fund.....	1000 00
Poor Fund.....	1000 00
Bridge Fund.....	600 00
First District Highway Fund.....	700 00
Second District Highway Fund.....	1400 00
Third District Highway Fund.....	1500 00
Fourth District Highway Fund.....	500 00
Fifth District Highway Fund.....	850 00
	$32732 55

And we do hereby order the supervisors to raise by tax with their next general tax levy in their respective districts the sum of Thirty Two Thousand Seven hundred and thirty-two dollars and fifty-five cents. Resolved that the Common Council of the City of Ypsilanti does appropriate to be paid out of the sinking fund for bonds and interest maturing this fiscal year as provided by the charter the sum of $8852.55 and further resolved the aggregate amount of the taxes mentioned in the above appropriation bill be and the same is hereby levied upon the taxable property, within the city of Ypsilanti, and the clerk of said city is hereby directed to certity to the several supervisors the sums named in the foregoing resolutions or bills, to be raised by tax for assessment and collection and to be paid into the treasury for credit of the several funds as stated.

Roll called.

Ayes—8.

Nays—0.

Absent—2.

Carried.

John Terns
F. P. Worden,
Geo. M. Gaudy,
Committee on ways and Means.

Resolution by Ald. Yost.

Resolved—The report of the committee on Printing be accepted and adopted and the contract for city printing be let as recommended by said committee.

Carried.

By Ald. F P Worden

Resolved, That a sewer be constructed in E Cross street, in the Second Sewer District of the City of Ypsilanti, from the man hole at River street east to a point four rods east of the south east corner of Prospect avenue and Miles street and the City Surveyor is hereby instructed to cause to be made plans, specifications and diagram of such proposed sewer, and submit the same to the Board of Public Works.

Adopted.

By Ald. Stevens.

Resolved, That a sewer be constructed in Forest avenue in the First Sewer District of the City of Ypsilanti, from the man hole at Perrin street west to Bower street and the City Surveyor is hereby instructed to cause to be made plans, specifications, and diagram of such proposed sewer, and submit the same to the Board of Public Works.

Adopted.

By Ald. Yost.

Resolved, That a sewer be constructed in Emmet street, in the First Sewer District of the City of Ypsilanti, from the man hole corner of Ballard street east to Hamilton street and the City Surveyor is hereby instructed to cause to be made plans, specifications, and diagram of such proposed sewer, and submit the same to the Board of Public Works.

Adopted.

Resolution by Ald. Van Fossen.

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be and he is hereby instructed to notify the D Y & A A R R Co. to fill with gravel between their rails on Cross Boulevard as far west as the city has graveled said Boulevard, within 30 days from this date.

Carried.

Resolution by Committee of Streets and Walks.

Resolved, The city Marshal be and he is hereby instructed to enforce section No. 25 of ordinance No. 36, relative to cloth awnings hanging lower than the height prescribed in said ordinance.

Carried.

Resolution by Ald. Boyce.

Resolved, That the committee on Streets and Walks be and are hereby instructed to purchase a light wagon suitable for the use of the Street Commissioner in street work.

Roll called.

Ayes—8.

Nays—0.

Absent—2.

Resolution by C L Stevens.

Resolved, That the Fire Department be and are hereby instructed to wash paved streets on each Tuesday and Friday night, during any protracted dry season through the summer months. Said work to be done under the supervision of the chief of Fire Department, and with the consent of the Board of Public Works.

Carried.

Resolution by Ald. Yost.

Resolved, That the Committee on Fire Department be and are hereby instructed to purchase 500 feet of fire hose.

Carried.

Resolution by Ald. Worden.

That the reduction in Water rates as recommeded by the Commissioners of Public Works be and are hereby approved and adopted.

Carried.

On motion council adjourned.

J E McGregor, City Clerk.

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Saginaw, Mich., Jan. 30, 1899.

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IT WAS IN HIS POULTRY YARD.

Man in Iowa Uses a Compound that Makes His Hens Lay Double the Usual Number Summer and Winter.

Secret of His Success.

People in the neighborhood of Creston, Iowa, are amazed at the number of eggs hat this man drives to market with. When asked what was the cause of his hens being so prolific, he stated it was all in a certain compound he was using, that kept his hens in good condition and furnished them with the proper stimulus to egg production. American Poultry Mixture is the name of it, and it is made by American Mfg. Co., Terre Haute, Ind Every man in the poultry business is interested in the health of his hens and their laying capacity. In the eggs lie his profits. This mixture is guaranteed to increase the production of eggs 100 per cent or money refunded. It is concentrated in form and the result of years of practical experience in the poultry business. There is absolutely no doubt as to what it will do, and you are invited to try it at the expense of the company. Send $1.00 for a sample package, and if it doesn't do the work you get your money back. This is fair and is made to induce practical poultrymen to give it a trial. It is also a sure preventative of such diseases as the terrible cholera and roup which create such havoc in all parts of the country. It acts directly on the craw and gizzard and is a thoroughly scientific preparation.

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Dear Sirs:—Some days since a package of your GRAIN-O preparation was left at my office. I took it home and gave it a trial, and I have to say I was very much pleased with it, as a substitute for coffee. We have always used the best Java and Mocha in our family, but I am free to say I like the GRAIN-O as well as the best coffee I ever drank. Respectfully yours, A. C. Jackson, M. D.

TO PROTECT STRANGERS.

Paris Has Increased Her Police Force.

Like vultures hovering over opposing armies in battle, the cleverest and most dangerous thugs and confidence men of the whole world are present in force at the French capital from the beginning to the end of the exposition.

So extensive were the depredations of the criminal classes during the last exposition that the minister of commerce declared the material advantages accruing to Paris from the great show were more than counterbalanced by the bad name given to the city by the horde of evildoers, both foreign and native, who preyed upon the unwary. Trade was benefited, but, owing to the ease with which criminals enriched themselves, the wrongdoers of Paris were confirmed in their ways and their numbers were increased to an extraordinary degree. In the opinion of the minister, the net result was a moral retrogression, the effect of which was by no means confined to France, and which cast a slur upon its fair name. It has been determined that the exposition of 1900 shall not incur this reproach, and M. Lepine, the Paris prefect of police, has been hard at work for months organizing special measures for the protection of the lives, the property and the peace of the strangers whom the exposition will attract. He has entered into relations with the police authorities of the principal cities of the world in order to secure their co-operation, and he now declares himself quite ready to cope with all the clever villainy which is swooping down upon the city.

TO BE IRISH IS THE THING.

Smart Set Reveling in Fine Linens and Emeralds.

The woman who says shop instead of store, stuffs instead of goods, dotes on 5 o'clock tea, buys her medicines at the chemist's, "takes in" the English as well as the American magazines and knows more about the war in South Africa than the fighting in the Philippines, may be safely called an Anglomaniac. But at the present moment she is very Irish, indeed. It is very smart to be Irish just now in Great Britain, and to wear a shamrock and adorn one's poplin gown with Limerick lace is symbolic of touching loyalty to the queen: Irish colors and Irish fabrics are to be worn more than any other hues or materials. Tweeds and friezes, Claddagh traveling cloaks, Limerick, Carrickmacross, crochet and the beautiful point laces, as delicate as frostwork; poplins of silk and wool, the finest linens in the world—these are among Irish treasures. Of blackthorn and bog oak, trinket and treasure boxes are made that are not only remarkably attractive in themselves, but have the charm of novelty as well. In jewels, emeralds of course come first, and, in colors, brilliant green and pale St. Patrick's blue. Shamrocks of green enamel, curious clasps and crosses from far-away ages, and other distinctly Irish emblems and symbols are to be the spring ornaments most in favor for the smart woman's spring costume.

Turned the Tables on Reed.

A good story, involving Thomas B. Reed, the gigantic speaker of the last house, and two congressmen from West Virginia, Hon. Blackburn B. Dovener and Hon. Romeo Hoyt Freer, both of whom are small in stature and wonderfully alike in their general appearance, is now being told. Together they went up to Maine's ponderous representative to be introduced. "Humph!" said Mr. Reed, "is that the best the persimmon state can do?" "What do you mean?" asked Mr. Freer. "Nothing," drawled the speaker. "I was only wondering at the uniformity of things down your way. I suppose the horses are all ponies and the persimmons all dwarfs——" "Well," interrupted Mr. Freer, "there is one thing in our favor, the persimmon has more taste than the pumpkin." The laugh was on the speaker, and he acknowledged it by cordially grasping the hands of the Liliputians and joining in the merriment.

The Rhine of Ireland.

The Blackwater, which has been styled the Irish Rhine, has been included in many tourist programmes. Wicklow, a run of only an hour or two from Dublin, with its lakes and hills, has been made easily accessible to the ordinary tourist by good services of public cars and coaches. The up-to-date character of tourist enterprise in developing our tourist industry is evidenced by the fact that a service of automobiles is at present being organized to run from Dublin to the Dargle. The beautiful Lough Gill, in Sligo, and the winding banks of Erne, in Fermanagh, are now visited by hundreds for the one—generally a stray fisherman—who used to stroll along their shores.

The Necktie Club.

There is an organization in Philadelphia known as the Necktie club, the members of which have asserted their intention not to marry. Recently one of the members announced his engagement and was fined a supper for his fellows. He spread a fine repast for them, at which the menus were printed on white silk neckties, in small gilt letters. A pin, composed of a miniature silver spoon, knife and fork adorned the center, while a portrait of the groom-to-be peeped out at the top under the words, "It's on me."

Sturdy Oom Paul.

President Kruger by his first marriage had one child, who died young. By his second wife he has had sixteen children. His grandchildren number 104.

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Owing to a great commercial change in Chicago by which one of the oldest and largest wholesale Boot and Shoe Houses is dissolving partnership we have been able to purchase at their dissolution sale, an immense lot of choice, high grade, seasonable footwear---new, nobby and catchy---the latest kind of the season, the kind that is seldom found in sales and at prices so low as to seem almost ridiculous. The only reason for this assassination of prices is they had to sell, and as we are running more stores than any firm in Michigan, consequently we have the largest outlet for goods of any shoe house in this state. With an abundance of cash on hand it enables us to take advantage of all such large deals, which small concerns can't even look at, as there are so few that can handle such large lots, therefore,

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We will put these goods on sale at prices that will eclipse any similar sales ever held here before or elsewhere

Bargains! Bargains! Bargains!

Here are a few of our trade winners and competition crushers.

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Men's Satan Calf Shoes, Coin or Paris toe, Chicago Price $1.50 sale price - - - - -	75c
Men's Fine Satin Calf Shoes, all the latest toes, Chicago price $2.00, sale price - - - -	$1.24
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Men's Fine Vici Kid Shoes in Black and Tan, Chicago price $4.00 sale price - - - - - -	1.97
Men's Fine Patent Leather shoes in Tan and Black, Chicago price $4.00, sale price - - -	2.48
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Ladies' Patent Leather, tan and Vici Kid Shoes, regular $4.00 and $5.00 values, sale price - - -	$2.89
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Ladies' Serge Congress, Chicago price 75c, sale price -	34c
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Youth's Shoes, lace coin toe, - - - -	75c
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Be on hand early and get the cream, and avoid the rush. This sale is going on and will continue every day until the stock is reduced. The same sale is going on in our Ann Arbor store. Remember that there are thousands of bargains space would not permit us to mention. Don't stop to buy one pair of shoes, bnt come prepared to buy shoes for years to come. It will pay you to attend this great dissolution sale. Mail orders promptly filled if accompanied by cash.

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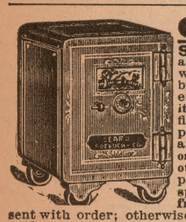

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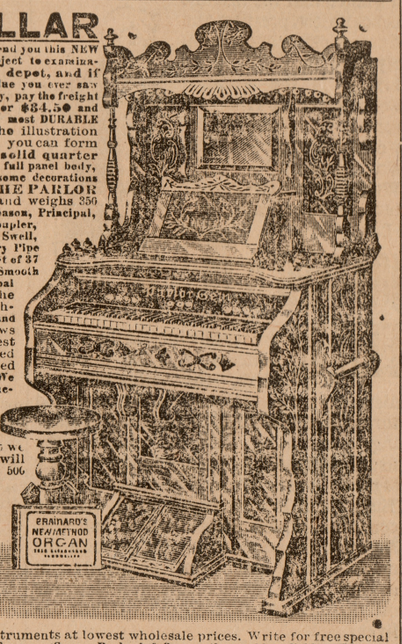

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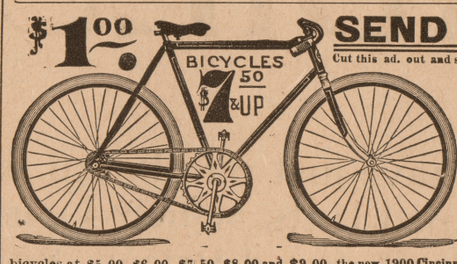

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Beautiful New Wonderland, Detroit, will remain open all summer and afford a pleasant oasis in the city for excursionists and visitors. In years past people finding themselves in Detroit for a day or two have found Wonderland one of the most delightful, as well as interesting places, to spend a few hours. The New Wonderland, located right in the center of town, just opposite the city hall on the Campus Martius, with its handsome theater, recognized to be one of the most beautifully decorated and most perfectly equipped in the country, and its many other attractions: including curio halls, menagerie, crystal maze, aquarium, phonograph parlors, the Schurz zoological collection, the most complete and finest in the world, comprising among its many parts 300 specimens of humming birds from all places where they are found in the world; thousands of specimens of butterflies, snakes, etc.; the eden musee, with every wax group copied after subjects by the most famous artists, and the museum with its almost limitless collection of curios of all kinds. These departments occupy four immense floors about 70 feet square, that afford a fine resting place for weary visitors. The management of Wonderland has always taken pains to cater to the needs and entertainment of visitors to the city during the summer months, when conventions and excursions are daily arriving and thousands of people are seeking comfort and pleasures in the metropolis of the state. For this summer space has been provided to take care of packages, satchels, etc., that people desire to leave in the center of town somewhere while they attend to business or go sight-seeing. A large room has been set aside for checking bicycles without charge. All attaches of the house have been required to post themselves as to the time of arrival and departure of trains; concerning places of interest in and about Detroit and how to reach them; all about street railway lines and everything that visitors might require to know and ask about. Everybody from out of town is invited to make New Wonderland a headquarters while in Detroit and take advantage of these accommodations.

New Wonderland theater is a complete ground-floor theater, decorated throughout in old ivory, gold and Sienna marble, the architecture being of the old classic rennaisance style, with which the colors harmonize beautifully. The box tapestry, stage tormentors and proscenium drapery are ox-blood red—the body color of the theater. It is said by all architects who have seen the theater that the scheme of decoration is as beautiful as anything of the kind in the United States. A modern system of ventilation makes it possible to keep the theater comfortably cool even on the hottest days, which will afford a pleasant escape from the heat of the street to visitors. An immense fan brings the cool air down a great flue from the full hight of the theater and forces it through the house so that the audience sits in a cool breeze, constantly being fanned without making the slightest effort.

The performance in the theater comprises seven high-class vaudeville, acts, the very best that the country affords and the program is completely changed each week. At present war pictures shown by the biograph, the most perfect animated picture machine, form one of the acts. Many splendid views of actual war scenes are shown on the "living picture" screen and they depict with remarkable realism what is happening in the Philippine islands and Sounth Africa. One thing the management endeavors to impress upon the people is the extreme measures that are employed to keep the performances free from anything objectionable. It is a playhouse for children as well as a place of entertainment and instruction for adults, and its patronage includes the wealthiest and the poorest as well as the most religious. During the past winter Wonderland box parties have been a fad among the social sets of the city.

Space will not permit of going into detail concerning the many attractions in New Wonderland. A stranger could spend a whole day in the different departments instructively and enjoyably and then not have seen all there is to see and enjoy. But one thing occurred in the menagerie a few days ago that should be particularly mentioned. It is very rarely that a baby monkey is born in captivity, and there was great rejoicing at Wonderland when a Simian gave birth to a little one. The infant is still in arms and is the greatest delight of the children.

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Facts for Women

Any article, whatever its merit, must be made known to the public by means of advertising. Advertising, however, though it can do much for a thing, cannot do everything. It may create a sale for a time, but in order to insure a lasting demand the thing advertised must have solid worth.

This is the case with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It has solid worth.

Women everywhere have learned this fact, and the result is that there is a lasting and absolutely unequaled demand for it. It has the largest sale of any remedy for female ills in the world, and this has been the case for years.

The reason for this is that Mrs. Pinkham claims nothing that she is not entitled to claim. She can do all that she says she can do, and her twenty years of experience make her advice invaluable. Her experience has been not only long but world-wide, and she has helped more women back to health than any one else in the world. These facts should, and do, have immense weight with all sensible women. Remember these are not wild statements but solid facts.

Facts About the Good Being Done by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in Cases of Change of Life, Bearing-Down Pains, Etc.

"I had falling, inflammation and ulceration of the womb; backache, bearing-down pains; was so weak and nervous that I could not do my own work; had sick headache, no appetite, numb spells, hands and feet cold all the time. I had good doctors, but none of them did me any good. Through the advice of a lady friend I began the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and after taking one bottle I felt greatly relieved, and by the time I had used several bottles was completely cured, so that I could do my work again. I am now passing through the change of life and using your Compound. It helps me wonderfully. I want every suffering woman to know what your medicine has done for me."—MRS. W. M. BULL, New Palestine, Mo.

"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound saved my life and gave back a loving mother to eleven children, which was more than any doctor could have done or any other medicine in the wide world. My trouble was childbed fever. The third day after my babe was born I took a chill, which was followed by a high fever. I would perspire until my clothes were as wet as though dipped in a tub of water. The chills and fever kept up for three days. My daughter got me a bottle of your Compound. The fourth dose stopped the chills, and the fever also disappeared. My life was saved. My age at this critical time was forty-nine."—LYDIA E. BOUGHER, Etna, Pa.

Facts About Two Cases of Falling of the Uterus Recovered by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"I suffered for fifteen years without finding any relief. I tried doctors, but nothing seemed to do me any good. I had falling of the womb, leucorrhœa, pain in the back and head, and those bearing-down pains. One bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did me so much good that I sent for four more, also two boxes of Liver Pills and one package of Sanative Wash. After using these I felt like a new woman."—MRS. G. A. WINTER, Glidden, Ia., Box 220.

"I was suffering with falling of the womb, painful menstruation, headache, backache, pain in groins, extending into the limbs; also a terrible pain at left of womb. The pain in my back was dreadful during menstruation, and my head would ache until I would be nearly crazy. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has given me great relief. I suffer no pain now, and I give your medicine all the praise."—MRS. J. P. MCSPADDEN, Rosenberg, Tex.

A Grateful Woman Recommends Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to Every Wife and Mother.

"I have taken eight bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound with most gratifying results. I had been married four years and had two children. I was all run down, had falling of womb with all its distressing symptoms. I had doctored with a good physician, but I derived very little good from his treatment. After taking a few bottles of your medicine, I was able to do my work and nurse my seven-months'-old babe. I recommend your medicine to every wife and mother. Had I time, I could write much more in its praise. I bid you Godspeed in your good work."—MRS. L. A. MORRIS Welaka, Putnam Co., Fla.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM—When I commenced the use of your remedies I was very badly off. Every two weeks I was troubled with flowing spells which made me very weak. I had two of the best doctors, but they did not seem to help me. They said my trouble was caused from weakness and was nothing to worry about. I felt tired all the time; had no ambition. I was growing worse all the time until I began the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I am now able to help about the house, and am much improved in health."—MRS. A. WALKER, Callicoon Depot, N. Y.

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☞Correspondents will please have their ms reach our office by noon on Wednesday.

THURSDAY, JUNE 7, 1900.

COUNTY NEWS.

STONEY CREEK.

The meeting of the Crescent Aid Society was not very largely attended owing to the rainy weather.

Owing to the illness of Dr. Ryan the quarterly meeting services were conducted by Rev. H. J. B. Marsh.

Children's Day will be observed in the Presbyterian church next Sunday, June 10, in the Methodist church June 17 and by the Grange June 23.

There will be a "Labyrinth Social" this week Friday evening, at the home of Mr. Reid Darling, under the auspices of the Epworth League. Come and get lost.

There were only about forty in attendance at the Junior League social at Cary Davis' on account of the rain. The Juniors will try again soon. Better luck next time.

Miss Grace Crittenden closes the spring term in the Redner district Friday. She intends to unite her forces with those of the Tamarack school and hold a picnic later in the month.

A LIFE AND DEATH FIGHT.

Mr. W. A. Hines, of Manchester, Ia,, writing of his almost miraculous escape from death says: "Exposure after measles induced serious lung trouble, which ended in Consumption. I had frequent hemorrhages and coughed night and day. All my doctors said I must soon die. Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which completely cured me. I would not be without it even if it cost $5.00 a bottle. Hundreds have used it on my recommendation and all say it never fails to cure throat, chest and lung troubles." Regular size 50c and $1.00 Trial bottles free at Morford & Hyzer's drug store.

YPSILANTI TOWN.

Ripe strawberries are now plenty in farmers gardens.

Miss Edna Vorse is spending the week with Miss Waterbury.

Will Wiard lost a valuable horse Tuesday it was taken sick the night before.

Mrs. Lent went to St. Josephs retreat at Dearborn Wednesday for treatment.

Wm. Stephen, Detroit came out Sunday to view the washout in Rawsonville.

Ben. Covert has somewhat revived. The effects of Saturdays long ride has passed off.

Mr. and Mrs. Rue Knickbocker, and Miss Lena spent Saturday at Chas. Crittendens.

The one nights freeze during fruit blossoming seems to have affected the cherry crop more than other fruits.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gooding, Miss Helen Gooding and Nettie Crittenden of York spent Sunday at Charles Crittenden's.

Nothing has caused so much excitement in Rawsonville for some time as the recent washout at the grist mill. Mr. Barlow had turned the the water off to do some repairing when the rain began, and it left such a pressure when the water began rising Thursday night that the flume gave way. Then the current of the river began to change its course until by Saturday it was running in a northernly direction, turning eastward under the mill. It was thought for a time that the mill would go and Saturday the machinery was removed. About 500 people visited the place on Sunday.

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Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Sourness, Heartburn, Headache, Palpitation of Heart, Dizziness, Dimness of Vision Pains in Side, Back, Pit of Stomach, or Limbs.

A teaspoonful after each meal brings new-fashioned results. *50 CENTS.*

Headache

Is often a warning that the liver is torpid or inactive. More serious troubles may follow. For a prompt, efficient cure of Headache and all liver troubles, take

Hood's Pills

While they rouse the liver, restore full, regular action of the bowels, they do not gripe or pain, do not irritate or inflame the internal organs, but have a positive tonic effect. 25c. at all druggists or by mail of

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DENTON.

Our school closed last Friday.

Ben Stevens, (barber) received his license this week.

Mrs. Wm. E. Hopkins visited her parents at Salem last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Bullock of Detroit, recently arrived in Denton to spend the summer.

Miss Florence Smith and the Misses Glass have been spending a few days in Detroit visiting friends and relatives.

Died at her home in Denton on Monday, June 4th, Mrs. Thos. Barton, aged 79 years. Funeral occurred on Thursday.

A concert was given at the M. E. church Tuesday evening, vocal selections were rendered by talent from home and abroad. All report an enjoyable time.

Mrs. Alban sister of Mrs. Thos. Barton came from Iowa a few weeks ago to take care of Mrs. Barton who was seriously ill. She was taken sick herself and died on Thursday of last week. Her remains were shipped Saturday to Iowa for burial.

THE HEALTH PROBLEM

Is much simpler than is sometimes supposed. Health depends chiefly upon perfect digestion and pure blood, and the problem is solved very readily by Hood's Sarsaparilla. You may keep well by taking it promptly for any stomach or blood disorder. Its cures of scrofula, salt rheum, catarrh, dyspepsia, rheumatism, and other diseases are numbered by the thousands.

The favorite family cathartic is Hood's Pills.

PITTSFIELD.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson, a boy.

Some corn is fit to cultivate and some is yet to plant.

Charles Johnson lost a valuable cow about a week ago.

The prospect for a good apple crop, in this township, is not as good as last year.

Spring term of school in this district (No. 3.) taught by Wilmer E. Robison, of Milan, closed last Saturday.

The Sunday School at the Roberts school, is in session every Sunday afternoon, at 4 p. m., with a good attendance

The late heavy rains have put farmers back in their work. Hail coming with the rain done a good deal of damage near Saline.

Mrs. Grace Farnill died a short time since, partly from the effects of a fall down stairs. She had been a resident of this township for over 50 years, and was the last one of the old timers, of that early date in this neighborhood.

Farmers are plowing up some of their wheat and putting the ground in beans, The wheat crop is a wreck, with the exception of a piece here and there. It is hard luck for farmers to lose their wheat crop two years in succession.

To accommodate those who are partial to the use of atomizers in applying liquids into the nasal passages for catarrhal troubles, the proprietors prepare Ely's Liquid Cream Balm. Price including the spraying tube is 75 cents. Druggists or by mail. The liquid embodies the medicinal properties of the solid preparation. Cream Balm is quickly absorbed by the membrane and does not dry up the secretions but changes them to a natural and healthy character. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St. N. Y.

The Michigan Central will on June 17 to 21st sell tickets from Ypsilanti to Des Moines, Iowa, and return, at the rate of one fare plus 50 cents, good going only on date of sale and returning leaving Des Moines on or before June 24 on account of Annual Convention Musical Teachers' Association. Children five years of age and under twelve, one-half adult rate. B. M. Damon, Ticket Agent. 13w1

The Michigan Central will on June 11th and 12th sell tickets from Ypsilanti to Grand Rapids and return, at the rate of one first-class fare good going only on date of sale and returning June 16th on account of K. O. T. M. for Michigan Grand Camp, Biennial Review. Children five years of age and under twelve, one-half adult rate. B. M. Damon, Ticket Agent. 12w1.

CAUGHT IN THE ACT.

A beautifully printed illustrated pamphlet has been issaed by the Queen & Crescent Route that is full of interesting data as to the historic old seaside city of Charleston, S. C.

The National Educational Association meets there in July, and every teacher in the land will be interested and profited by aperusal of the pamphlet. It will be sent to you free. A beautiful frontispiece entitled "Caught in the Act," adds to the novel make-up of the pamphlet.

Send your name to W. C. Rinearson, General Passenger Agent, Cincinnati. If you are a teacher the pamphlet comes to you free.

CASTORIA.

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QUEEN'S QUEER COLLECTION.

Victoria Has Many Samples of Weapons Used in Warfare.

It is characteristic of the wonderful interest evinced by her majesty the queen in all that concerns her army that one of her possesions on which she lays great store is the armory at Windsor, wherein are preserved countless weapons of war that are reminiscent of the numerous greater or smaller conflicts that have prevailed from time to time before and since that sovereign lady ascended the throne in 1837, says the Philadelphia Times. In that armory are to be found weapons of every imaginable description and device, collected from every quarter of the globe and each having some story attached to it; a story with which we may be certain that her majesty is familiar, since there are few, if any, women living who are better informed on all subjects that in any way concern her for her people than Queen Victoria. Probably the gems of the royal collection of weapons of war are those of oriental workmanship and design. A very notable example of these latter is the famous sword of Tippoo Tib, the brutal Indian potentate, who was a menace to the safety of British subjects in the great eastern empire for many years. The sword has an interesting history. It was captured in a skirmish before Seringapatam by an English private, at a time when the forces under the then almost unknown Duke of Wellington were marching against the Indian tyrant's stronghold. Carried home to England, the weapon was presented to the future King George IV., who was then acting as regent of the kingdom. Thus the weapon has come down to her majesty. It is, by the way, remarkable that this weapon is particularly plain and unornamented for the sword of an oriental potentate, and the fact is made more singular when we compare the weapon with some of its neighbors in the royal armory, which also came from Tippoo's stronghold and present the most dazzling appearance owing to the priceless jewels with which they are incrusted. Notable for the fact that it is one of the most valuable weapons, from the intrinsic point of view, in the whole world, is another Indian sword in her majesty's possession. The history of the article in question, is not clearly known, but the value of the bauble is apparent at a glance. Not only are the sheath and handle of the sword made of the purest possible gold, but the latter, which is shaped like a fabulous parrot's head, is one mass of the most priceless gems, while to add to the value of the weapon there is suspended from the bird's gold beak a cumbersome but magnificent string of precious stones, that helps to render the article in its present form one of the most valuable and warlike of its genus in all the world. Favorites with their royal possessor are some diminutive weapons that at once arrest the attention of the visitor to the Windsor armory. These are the swords and daggers used by a wonderfully small race of fighters, the Cingalese, whose religion is represented on them by the dragon heads (symbolical) that adorn the hilts. These weapons of war are made not of metal, but of seasoned wood, inlaid with silver, which is ornamented with all the skill in cunning chasing that we expect from the oriental worker in precious metals.

HAIR HELP

So many persons have hair that is stubborn and dull. It won't grow. What's the reason? Hair needs help just as anything else does at times. The roots require feeding. When hair stops growing it loses its luster. It looks dead.

Ayer's Hair Vigor

acts almost instantly on such hair. It awakens new life in the hair bulbs. The effect is astonishing. Your hair grows, becomes thicker, and all dandruff is removed.

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MATTIE HOLT,
Sept. 24, 1898. Burlington, N. C.

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DR. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass.

Pretty Children

"We have three children. Before the birth of the last one my wife used four bottles of MOTHER'S FRIEND. If you had the pictures of our children, you could see at a glance that the last one is healthiest, prettiest and finest-looking of them all. My wife thinks Mother's Friend is the greatest and grandest remedy in the world for expectant mothers."—Written by a Kentucky Attorney-at-Law.

MOTHER'S FRIEND prevents nine-tenths of the suffering incident to childbirth. The coming mother's disposition and temper remain unruffled throughout the ordeal, because this relaxing, penetrating liniment relieves the usual distress. A good-natured mother is pretty sure to have a good-natured child. The patient is kept in a strong, healthy condition, which the child also inherits. Mother's Friend takes a wife through the crisis quickly and almost painlessly. It assists in her rapid recovery, and wards off the dangers that so often follow delivery.

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Send for our free illustrated book written expressly for expectant mothers.

Boers Bigger Than the English.

The Boers are taller, stronger and of a more powerful physique than the English. It is quite a common occurrence to meet a Boer six feet six inches in height. The Boer who has taken the town life and acquired town vices may degenerate like other people, but this is not of frequent occurrence. Even those who live in towns often preserve their primitive and simple methods of existence.

Wages in New South Wales.

In New South Wales the government has fixed the minimum wages of railway laborers at seven shillings, or about $1.75 a day.

ARE YOU CONSTIPATED?

Do you have that tired feeling? Do you have pimples, eruptions, blotches, ulcers, sores or other results of constipation? To be healthy the sewer of the body, the bowels, must be kept in an active healthy condition, and nothing does it so well as Bailey's Laxative Tablets. They bring a clear, rosy complexion and a clear head. A tablet or two taken at night makes you feel fine in the morning. 10c packages contain 20 tablets and 25c packages contain 60 tablets. Chocolate coated. W. J. Bailey is written on each package. Lakeside Medicine Co. Prop. Sample free. Remember they cure constipation. Sold by Frank Smith & Son.

CASTORIA.

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DEWEY DAY AT DETROIT.

The Michigan Central will run a special excursion train to Detroit on Saturday, June 9th, leaving Ypsilanti at 8:40 a. m., returning leave Detroit 6:30 p. m. Fare for the round trip 60 cents. Children five years of age and under twelve, half rate.

B. M. Damon,
12w2 Agent

The Michigan Central will on June 14th to 18th sell tickets from Ypsilanti to Philadelphia, Pa. and return, at the rate of one first-class fare good going only on date of sale and returning leaving Philadelphia not later than June 26 on account of Republican National Convention. Children five years of age and under twelve, one-half adult rate. B. M. Damon, Ticket Agent. 13w1

Market Quotations.

Following are the quotations today in the Ypsilanti markets:

Butter	18c@ 22c
Eggs	10c@ 11c
Potatoes	40c
Honey	9c@ 15c
Prime beef	8c
Hogs, dressed	5½c
Lamb	5c@5½c
Lamb, dressed	9c@8½c
Chickens	7c
Chickens, dressed	9c
Turkeys	9c
Turkeys, dressed	15c
Hay	$8 00@10 00
Hay, baled	$8 00@10 25
Corn	40c
Oats	20@24c
Rye	48c
Beans	$150@1 60
Wheat	65 c@70

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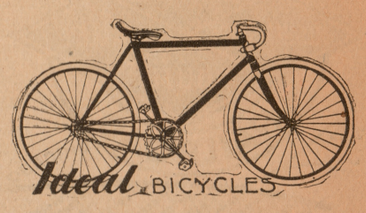

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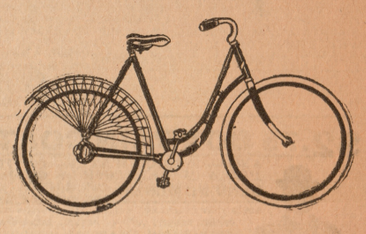

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